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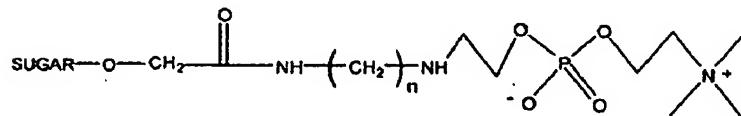
IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly cancel Claims 1 and 3, and amend claim 2 as follows:

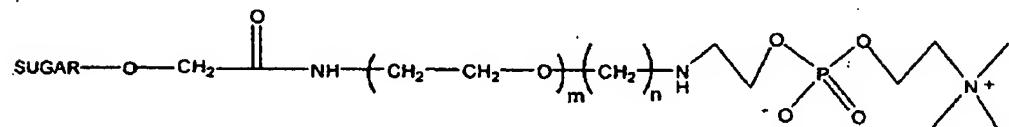
1. (Cancelled)

2. (Currently Amended) A polysaccharide having a phosphorylcholine group represented by one of the following general formulas (2)-(10)[[.]]:

(2)

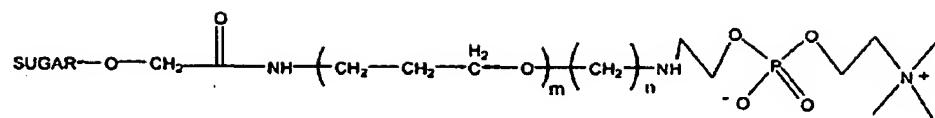


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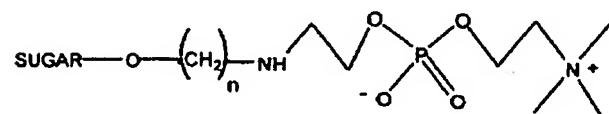


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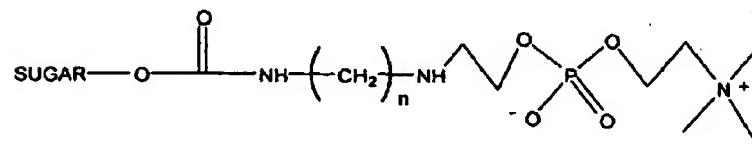
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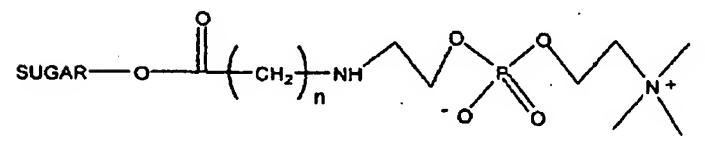
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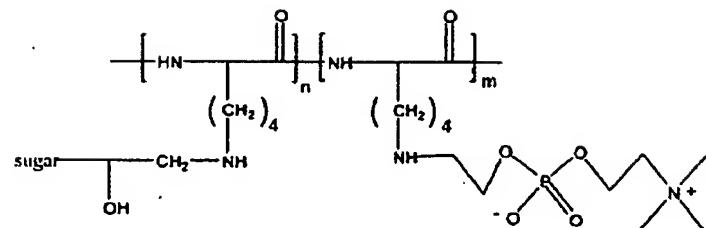


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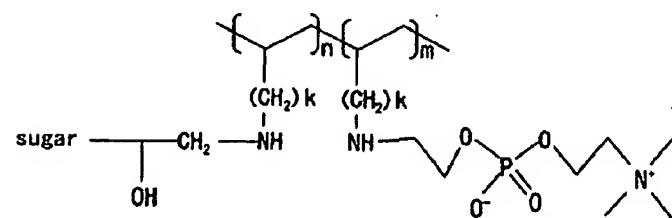


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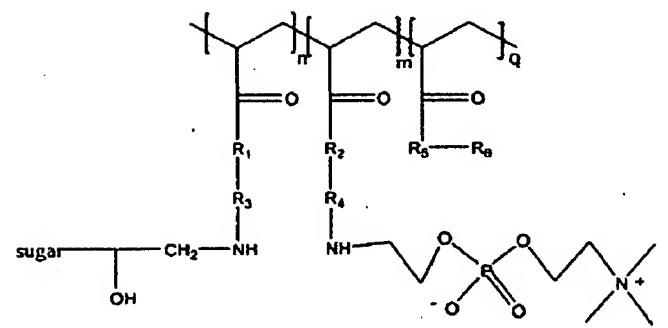
(8)



(9)



(10)



wherein, in [[In the]] general formulas (2)-(7), n denotes an integer 1-22[[,]]; in general formulas 3 and 4 m denotes an integer 1-22[[,]]; [[and]]

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in general formulas (2)-(7), SUGAR denotes a polysaccharide[[.]];

in [[In]] general formulas (8)-(10), R1, R2, and R5 denote O, NH, or a tertiary amine[[.]];

R3 and R4 are straight chain or branched alkynes having 1-22 carbon atoms, or ethylene oxide having 1-20 repeat units[[.]];

R6 denotes a hydrocarbon including aromatic hydrocarbons or a perfluoroalkylene group having 1-22 carbon atoms[[.]];

K denotes an integer 0-6[[.]];

in formulas (8),(9) and (10), n, m[[.]] and q denote positive integers, and

“sugar” denotes a polysaccharide.

3. (Cancelled)